

Attorney Docket No.: SAM-0069
Application Serial No.: 09/273,643

REMARKS

Claim 13 is amended above. No new matter is added by the claim amendment. Entry is respectfully requested.

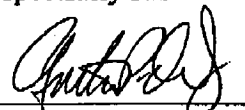
Applicant notes with appreciation, the Examiner's indication in a telephone message on November 9, 2004, that all pending claims are in condition for allowance, pending the submission of an amendment to cure informalities present in claim 13. Claim 13 is amended above in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions. Entry of the amendment and allowance of the claims are respectfully requested.

Closing Remarks

It is submitted that all claims are in condition for allowance, and such allowance is respectfully requested. If prosecution of the application can be expedited by a telephone conference, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at the number given below.

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